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HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LIMITED

TOTICE is hereby given that the NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 27, QUEEN'S ROAD. on TUESDAY, 5th proxime, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts, to 30th April, 1898, and electing Directors and

Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st inst to 5th proximo, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. Hongkong, 17th June, 1898. IN THE MATTER OF ORDINANCE NO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF AUGUSTE COLLETTE FILS AND AUGUSTE BOIDIN BOTH OF SECLIN IN THE REPUBLIC OF DISTILLERS AND CHEMISTS FOR LETTERS PAT ENT FOR THE EXCLUSIVE USE WITHIN THE COLONY OF HONG-KONG OF AN INVENTION OF AN IMPROVED PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF ALCOHOL BY SACCHARIFICATION AND FER-MENTATION BY MUCIDINEAE AND APPARATUS THEREFOR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Petition, Specification, and Declaration required by the above Ordinance have been duly filed in the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkoug, and that it is the intention of the said AUGUSTE COLLETTE FILS and AUGUSTE BOIDIN by HENRY LARDNER DENNYS, their duly authorised Agent and Attorney, to apply at the sitting of the Executive Council bereinafter mentioned for LET-TERS PATENT for the exclusive use within the said Colony of Hongkong of the abovenamed Invention. And notice is also hereby given that a sitting of the Executive Council before whom the matter of the said Petition will come for hearing will be held in the Council Chamber at the Government Offices on WED. NESDAY, the 29th day of June, 1898, at

9,45 A.M. Dated this 16th day of June, 1898. H. L. DENNYS. 1000 Solicitor and Agent for the Petitioners.

FOR THE MAIL. THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS will be ready to-morrow and will contain :--Leading Articles :-

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Local and District Intelligence.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

TETHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"PESHAWUR," FROM BUMBAY AND STRAITS. Consignees of Cargo by the above named . cossel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowleen Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are lunded.

4 P.E., will be subject to rent. All damaged packages must be left in the General Managers on the 15th day of Codowns and a certificate of the damage ob- August next, at the Offices of the Company. tained from the Godown Company within ten Nos. 38 and 40, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. days after the vessel's arrival here, after which JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, no claims will be recegnised:

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent. Hongkong, 15th June, 1898. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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The DIVIDEND is also PAYABLE at the Hongkong and Shanghar Bank, Shanghai. on presentation of WARRANTS there, on and after the same date. A. H. MANCELL,

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41,601/41,900 55,936/56,135 67,171/67,195 43,921/43,970 56,936/57,035 67,946/68,945 44,966/45,005 57,136/57,235 68,946/69,045 45,406/45,505 58,381/58,885 69,701/69,800 45.606/46,105 58.693/58,795 46,106/46,605 58,996/59,095 must be PAID into the Hongkons AND SHANGHAI BANK, Hongkong, or the Office of Liho rate of 2% per andum on the Daily balance. the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Hougheng, on or before the 18th day of JUNE, 1898, and hotice is also hereby given that in the

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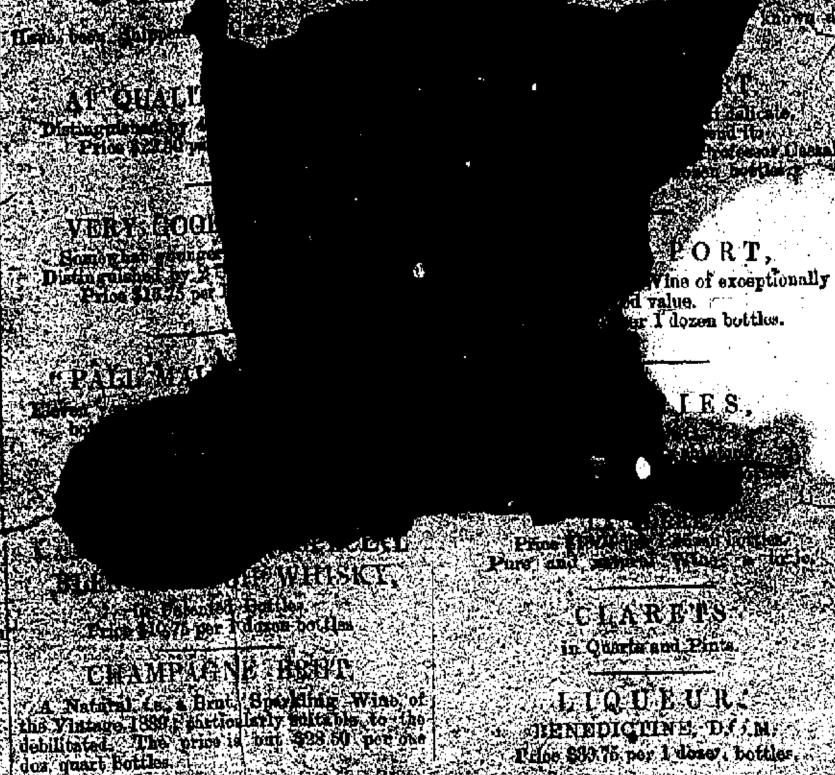
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Freir, Danish str., for Holbow. Marquis Bacquehem, Aust. str., for Singapore. Gaelic, British str., for Amov. Chittagong, British str., for Aparvi. Claverhill, British str., for Kabe. -Nanyang, German str., for Swatow. Kong Beng, British str., for Saigon Canton, British str., for Iloilo.

DEPARTURES. June 16, NANCHANG, British str., for Canton. June 16, Kamakura Maru, Japanese str., for Yokohama. June 16, HENRI RIETH, Brit, str., for Sumatra. June 16, Activ. Norw. str., for Hongay. June 16. Garlic, British str., for San Francisco. June 16, ARIEL, Norwegian str., for Canton. June 16, Chittacono, British str., for Aparri June 16, KEONGWAI, British str., for Bongkok. June 16, NANYANG, German str., for Swutow.

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of the Philippines beyond that of a mere individual expression of opinion. Mr. BRAY the Singapore I ree Press, in reply to one The view expressed by him is much the expressed in this column, but with this difference, that whereas we suggested selfgovernment for the Philippinos under a joint protectorate Mr. Bray suggests an American answer." It is suggested by Lord Kelvin's protectorate exclusively. "The only possi-" ble solution of the Philippine question," he says, "is an independent government, " under American protection, and this is the " policy I recommended General Aguinal Do "and his compatriots to accept, and which " will no doubt be carried out. Time will

. . aggeration of an enthusiast. When he says that Spain, with an army of 35,000 men fully armed, has been able to do nothing against an army of imperfectly organised · Philippines who have never disposed of more | ing under contract for a foreign Government. than six hundred rifles he conveys an entirely mistaken impression. Spain recon- gallery in the House of Commons. There are quered the province of Cavite from the In. several other interesting articles, and fiction is surgents and had driven. Actinatio's forces into mountain fastnesses, from which the half-yearly volume to a close, and in the they might have continued to give trouble. programme for the next volume there are anit is true, but they were not in possession of any extent of settled country. It was by Bret Harte, and other attractive features. deemed expedient by the Spanish Government, however, to bring the disturbance, to an end by granting certain reforms and making pecuniary provision for the Insurgent leaders: Practically the rebellion was suppressed when the outbreak of hostilities between Spain and America: put new hope -Into the hearts of the natives and soon Frought them material assistunce in the allope of tacilities for obtaining arms. How long Spain might have been able to keep the islands had there been no interference from outside it is impossible to say; probably she would have been driven out sooner or later; but in April last the natives seemed as far as ever from having achieved their independence.

It seems unnecessary to speculate on the forces that any other Power would require in order to subdue the Philippines after Spain has been dispossessed, for no Power will wish to make the attempt. Possibly there may be battle ship Maine

demands for coaling stations, there being already rumours, according to Reuter, of German designs on the Sulu group, but the Philippines as a whole will no doubt be allowed to govern themselves, subject to an American or a joint protectorate, or at least they will be given a chance to show whether they are ripe for self-government. If the people are as enlightened as Mr BRAY claims, the experiment will no doubt turn out a success, but if it fails America will have to determine whether she will govern the islands as a subject territory herself or hand them over to some other Power or Powers, The cognition of the independence of the isl if it be found possible, will be the satisfactory solution of a problem would otherwise prove a very knowly some In the meantime, it is not America will submit to be robbed as of her spoils of victory, whether the submany or any other Power. When the is suded she may invite a council of the Powers more immediately interested in the House of Common future of the Philippines for the amicable would beneeforth care adjustment of any claims that may be advaured, but any interference by a third Power at the present-time would be calcul ated to lead to serious complications.

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Cassell's Magazine for May opens with

startling paper by John Munro entitled "Is the end of the world near? A question and an statements at the last meeting of the British Association in Toronto and in a subsequent interview with a representative of a New York journal, when he showed by facts and figures that if we go on as we are going now, the stores of fuel in the earth and of the oxygen in the air will fail us by the end of four or five centuries, and the entire human race must die of cold or suffication in that comparatively short period In "A day on circuit " an interesting account is given of the general life of barristers on cir-Mr. Bray speaks, however, with the Cx. | cuit. In "Under water in a submarine boat" A. Hilliard Atteridge gives an account of the progress of submarine pavigation, and more particularly of Goubet's boats. The boat in which the writer of the article made his descent in the St. Ouen dock was one of a flotilla of ten which M. Goubet was build-Robert Machray under the title "A nation's ear " gives, a readable account of the press supplied in large quantity and of good quality.
The present number of the Magazine brings nounced a serial story by Mr. Hocking, a series of exciting stories by E. W. Horning, a story The Quiver for May has an excellent list of contents, the article that will prove of most local interest being "A land without a Sunday," by the Right Rev. F. R. Graves, D.D., American Bishop of Shanghal.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The M. M. steamer Oceanien, with the next French mail, left Saigon on Wednesday, the 15th instant, at 11 p.m. for this port. - The O. S. S. steamer Diomed left Singapore on the 15th instant, and may be expected to arrive here on the 20th instant.

The N. Y. K. steamer Kawachi Maru (Europe Line) left Kobe for this port on 15th June and is expected to arrive here on the 20th instant. The C. P. steamer Empress of China arrived tion to the removal of illegal structures reported however, did not go to Macao, as he was pro- and as soon as it is over and the fleet built they at Kobe on Tuesday, the 14th instant, at 10 p.m. and left again at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, the 15th instant, for Yokohams, where she was expected to arrive at 1 p.m. yesterday.

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REPORT ON SPECIAL CLEANSING WORK.

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Mr. McCallum we had a very typical specimen | chief clerk. The following is a translation :- We think the Americans will keep the Phiof the rank and file of the civil service. It is men- "I will let you have to-morrow 216 Mauser and | lippines, we hope they will most heartily, and we in the world, and I believe that but for our civil, repeaters; \$5.40 for M. single shooter-\$3.55 will keep them because we think that the Americonsciousness of duty nobly done. (Hear, hear.) By the Magistrate—He had been in the Britain, without suffering grave defeats at sea. trade in erms nearly all that time. He had position which suits the American temper, and The VICE-President reported as follows:- | never had any experience of rifles unpacked | Washington will therefore set itself to construct Police Office, 3rd June, 1898: "Sir, I beg to and not in cases. When rifles had come to him a first-class from fleet. They can do that at report for the information of the Board that | they had come in boxes before, and when he home with twice the rapidity of the Japanese, the work of supervising the special cleansing had sold any of them he had sold them in because they have a hundred times the Japanese command of money, and they can man the fleet ventilation in Nos. 5 and 6 health districts under i Ng Yui, licensed dealer in arms at 276, when constructed by sweeping all the shiftless section 25 of the bye laws made under section | Queen's Road Central, said he owed Mesers. boys of the Union, as they are doing already, 13 of Ordinance 15 of 1894, for which I was Meyer & Co. some money. The rifles into great naval schools one for each State. appointed by H. E. the Acting Governor on which had been seized were his property. They The fleet once ballt, the desire for a position in the recommendation of the Board, and which I were stored in Messrs. Meyer & Co,'s go- the world equal to their position among nations, tobk up on the 12th of April, has been com. down. On the 9th instant he ordered them for islands as coaling stations, for posts of vanplated as far as the cleansing of houses and the to be brought down from there to Mr. Brewitt, tage if Europe threatens them, will induce, or removal of such illegal structures as have been auctioneer, to be sold by auction, intending indeed compel them to give up their

will open the Nicsragua Canal claiming right for President McKinley, out of metal from the who has been working under me, with a view to filled there is no knowing how famous this countries to meet her.

| Description of the plant were cultivated properly and new varieties was lucky in having such an easy master, battle ship Maine. They tried there is no knowing how famous this countries to meet her.

The inspectors of nuisances in the districts can Mr. Grist dealt with the points brought out must be ready to strike, if need he, on the try might become for the quality of its tobacco; As has so often been the case in India and the rifes were being to have them removed—I have by his witnesses. He said the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case of the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being the rifes were being the case in India and the rifes were being or to be, sir, your obsdient servant, removed by cargo boat instead of by road to that they will not give up, islands which offer Ceylon, Europeans can never compete with the them impregnable defences for their deckyards, | natives in this industry. Several have tried and gremanded the their coalyavits and their arsenals. To retain one eminent Siamese personage has run a facthem is, of course, to give up their traditional tory for some time but the small bares manupolicy of noninterference in the politics of the facturer slways had the best of it, and after a world; but we confess we have not much faith losing light, more or less prolonged, the capiself-denying policies of that kind. To shake talist had invariably to yield. Perhaps if a man ancient European throne is surely in- strong company undertook to exploit Slam's the Europe of a definite kind, and tobacco industry it would have more success, but legady. The people of the it will be difficult to effect anything till more in realised their new posi- known of the actual position of that industry. do, we shall hear, we In Ceylon or any other. British Colony of non-intervention. one could, in such a case, consult an enercop the Philippines, mous amount of data drawn up wit great accu-She will govern them racy and diligence by Government Agents and Special Commissions, but in Siam there is much jetter than any Power es, and we have more of the nothing to go by. The administrative machinery is defective; and is as little calculated to e Pacific would be meet the wants of modern industrialism as is a Civil Service spinning jonny to meet the wants of Lancashire's innumerable customers. There are no for more botanical gardens wherein experiments in the culture of tobacco and other tropical produce e delight could be carried out under trained and scientific bone of supervision! and with the exception of a small number of the Princes who have received a European education, all the Government officials of every grade are extremely illiterate and unprogressive. The lethargy of the Government in this industry of which we speak is shown by the amount of opium and cannabis arabica which is put into some varities of burees, and by the entire absence of Government supervision or control over the factories .- Sigm Free Press THE WAR IN ACHEEN

The campaign in Pedir has at last been com On the lat of June, the expedition, which had assembled at Segli, on the coast, advanced along both banks of the Podir river towards

Garut. Colonel van Heutez, the Governor of Acheen, commanded the forces in person. Tunku Omar had pitched his camp at Garut but the Dutch before reaching there met the enemy occupying several other positions, from which they drove them, successively. The casualties on the Duch side killed and seventeen wounded. The Dutch finally occupied Garut and pivonneked at Kota Mantroi No attack was made by the enemy during the Next day, the Dutch advanced southwards. hrough Tama and Indra.—Penang Garette.

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WHATCOLONEL HICKS HAS TO SAY.

"MONEY TALKS, AND TALKS LOUD. THE COLONEL, TOO. Colonel Chas. B. Hicks, the well-known theatrical agent, who is at present representa-

fifth form, and William was soon to be his fag. Although we do not think that the article is The boarding house in which the three Glad. if he had not succeeded in puzzling the small

very well known on the markets of Europe, stones lived was kept by a Mrs. Sharey, and Siamese tobacco is extremely popular in Siam, was within a stone's throw of the famous Chrisand is produced in every province of the king- topher lun. At the same house also lived the the sponsed the cause of the Philippine Inserting the same of the Philippine Inserting the same of the Philippine Inserting the same of the proposition of the same of the sam Under these circumstances an importance | Straffs Settlements are awary that, should any sailors, and there are those—and I believe a | Inspector Hunson said that at half-past nine | so misgoverned them that his own people rose | in disposing of it here, for in Bangkok alone | troyed all vestiges of the room which Gladattaches to what he has to say on the future "chopped" yen come their way, the coin good many in this colony—who hold Great Brit- on the evening of the Sth inst., in consequence upon him in unquenchable fury. The Ameri- there are about a hundred tobacco factories, all stone's dearest friend occupied. viz., Arthur need not be accepted by them, for it is not ain owes her proud position to the energy and of information received, he sent the first and cans will have, therefore, at the close of the in working order and rejoicing in a steady Hallam (the subject of Lord Tennyson's "In current in the colony, as a visit to any Bank enterprise of her merchants. Without wishing second witnesses to watch Meyer's godown war, to decide how their newly acquired prowill soon convince them. Parties who may to depreciate from the services of our soldiers, during the night. The following morning, in perty shall be disposed of, and already flerce consumers are Siamese and most of the middle remove of the fourth form. That was has recently contributed a signed article to attempt to flood the three Settlements and the sailors, and merchants, it seems to me easier consequence of his receiving a telephone jealousies and far-reaching ambitions have cigarettes are made to suit their taste. The not bad placing for a boy who was barely Protected Native States with "chopped" to conquer with the sword when you are message from Inspector Cuthbert, he went been awakened throughout Europe. Ameri- typical buree is as thick as an ordinary walk: "twelve years old, as in those days when boys you should be forced by the public to "pay and one with the courage and daring which down to Praya East, where he found on, it is said, will not keep the islands; ingstick and as long as a very long Manila. At went to Eton much younger than they do now, that appeared in the Speciator and which through the nose" for the speculation, as, are the birth-right of every Englishman; it several mat bags containing 208 breach and if they are to be sold, either for first sight one is inclined to imagine that no few new-comers escaped a probationary stage was reproduced by our Straits contemporary. thanks to the Chartered Dank, whose record seems somewhat easier to be industrious and loading rifles. money or for territory, to whom are they to ordinary-sized mouth would present an opening in the Lower School. Among other school imports of British dollars we have duly enterprising when the direct result of that Defendant had no permit. He afterwards went go? Then possession might disturb "the large enough for such a portentous object, but friends Gladstone numbered John Hanner industry and enterprise is the lining of your to Meyer and Co's godown and found there six balance of power" in the Far East. England, the Siamese experience no inconvenience, and (afterwards Lord Hanner) Frederick Rogers own pockets with silver and gold. I say some large mat tags similar to those he had seen on the it is said, must not have them, because she has are generally seen pulling for all they are worth (Lord Blackford), and J. W. Colvile (afterwards of these things seem easier than to labour on as Praya with the knots of the breach blocks pro- already too much; Germany, because her de- behind an enormous bureo which clears the way Sir J. W. Colvile, Chief Justice of Calcutta). does the civil servant on comparatively small trading through the motting. He saw wooden signs upon China would thereby be facilitated; for them, so to speak. The large native "weed" Among the tutors under whom Gladstone was pay, with comparatively little prospect of pro- cases of ritles standing in the godown. In all Russia, because she would be too near Australia; is as essentially part and parcel of a Signess as at different times placed may be mentioned motion or honour and glory, and looking for his 24 years' experience he had never seen rifles; and France, because she may choose in the next | is Paul Kruger's hat of Paul Kruger; and if | the Rev. John Wilder, and the Rev. James war to act as Russia's obelient ally. Japan, as | Phil May, Harry Furniss or any other "light- | Chapman, afterwards Bishop of Colombo, and thrifty Government defers to such an age that for Nam, recalled, said that for four or five few ever live to enjoy it. If any section of the British nation can claim any special share in the work of rearing our empire up to the stupendous position which it now holds it is the civil servants of the empire, who may is the civil servants of the empire, who may is the civil servants of the empire, who may is the civil servants of the empire, who may is of house is easier to have been only a leave to have the hard the hard on the promoter in a leave to see the promoter in a leave to see the promoter in the leave to see the promoter in a leave to see the promoter in ial share in such work. And in referring to His firm owed Messra Meyer a considerable attempt to form a colonial army seems beyond clothed in nothing save wreaths of tobacco. Lapse of memory, "If you please, Sir," argued civil servants I mean not the few brilliant and amount of money, and it was arranged that the her strength. She has been trying through a smoke. In Siam smoking before the king is our future greatest statesman, then fourteen favoured ones—the Governors, Governor-Gep- rifles, which had been stored in Meyer's go- whole generation to conquer Acheen, and the not prohibited, and Siamese children of any years old, my prospectorship would have been erals, and Viceroys of the empire—but the down, should be sold and the money thus raised fierce little Malay State holds her successfully age may smoke in the presence of their parents. an office of trust had I sought it of my own rank and file of the civil service, whose industry, devoted to wiping off the debt. They were to at bay. These arguments, and many like them, It so far as the great tobacco question goes, accord, but it was forced upon me." This ex-Siam would be without doubt an ideal country Louse was accepted. for the English schoolboy. The sister of a Mr. Gladstone admitted afterwards that his Siamese boy never complains of "those horrid defence was more culpable than the fault: but cigars,"-because she smokes them herself. In speaking of the manufacture of cigars in | wits of his master, that peevish pedagogue Siam there is happily no reason for using the would have flogged him. word factory. The business is carried on in Arthur Hallam had gone to Eton in the quite a family way, generally in the largest same year as Gladstone, and they were both in like him who have made the British civil service | 104 Enfield rifles and ask you to sell them at | can show that they have the proprietor's house, by from twelve | the same form. 'Dr. Keate used once a week to what it is. I believe it is the finest civil service | the best possible market value-\$6.75 for M. | with little trouble to themselves. We think they | to fifty women and young girls. A woman can take the remove for a lesson of Horace, and the

generally make 1,000 cigarettes a day and for fourth form for a lesson of Casar, and he soon service England would not occupy the position Enfield; but I do not bind you to this price. cans will emerge from this war with new ideas this she gets affect ticals per month. Some singled out Gladstone, Hallam, and Colvile, as the occupies to day. Mr. McCallum will derive The man owes us money and, therefore, the and larger ambitions. They will have defeated turn out as many as 1,800 a day and are paid good boys to "call up" because they seemed to antisfaction from the resolution which has just goods should be realised at the best price. a second class European State, and will feel accordingly, but it is not often they can do so take an interest in their lessons. It was been proposed, but I feel sure he will leave these Please sell them if possible this week. No hurry acutely that as matters stand they would have much as they become intexicated by handling customary for the lower boys on the 5th of the strong tobacco mixed as it is sometimes not have fought France, to say nothing of Great | with opium, &c. Before being used in eigerettes | Greek grammars in the school yard. Kente. of By the Magistrate—He had been in the Britain, without suffering grave defeats at sea the "weed" is carefully chopped, and a little course, made ineffectual war on the practice colony 20 years, and had been familiar with the and enormous losses by land. That is not a pile is placed on a large leaf before each worker. Meeting Colvile on Guy Fawkes Day, 1823, Paper is never used in these olgarettes being with a pile of books under his arm! he taxed considered unhealthy by the Siamese, and its him indiguantly with intending to set fire to place is taken by a thin, dried film stripped off these volumes. Colvile would as soon have young areca-nut leaves, or by a dried banana burned his own hair as a book, and answered leaves or a dried tobacco leaf. The buree is that he was going to Hallam's room with Gladmade in exactly the way in which one makes a stone's books, and his own to prepare a lesson. cigarette. For some reason for other it is "I don't believe it," said Keate, "you and the difficult to keep the Siamese buree alight other two have got some foolish notions into

for any length of time and every smoker has your heads about dulce est desipere in loco, but always two boxes of matches with him, one in school isn't the place for such nonsense; you his hand and one in his clothes, and the quantity shall all three bring me five of Æson's fables of matches which the Siamese use in this way written out to-morrow, and then I shall know is very great. The burse almost always takes I you have not been up to any mischief." the unwieldy form we have siready described. The next day Keate sent for Gladstone (minor). reported to me by the house to house visitation that the money thus realised should be paid to idea of non-intervention, which already, but there is a burse farmed made specially for "Where's your Greek Grammar, boy?" parties are concerned. I found both dis. Meyer & Co: He sent his coolie for the rifles. as we see, has given way the moment their foreigners, exceedingly cheap, and not at all to "Please Sir, it's at my dame's." "Go and tricts in a very creditable state as regards. By the Magistrate—The rifles were sold at deeper emotions are stated. Already, before be despised. We could mention some Slamese | fetch it and if you re not back within ten cleanliness. After cleansing such houses as one time, and he ordered them to be put in mat, the war has well begun, they are threatening who make a very good business in this way, and minutes I'll flog you." Gladstone ran, but in were found to require it I devoted my attent bags so that they could go to Macao. They, Cuba Porto Rico Hawaii, and the Philippines, whose cigarettes new much appreciated by his harry returned with a grammar of his Europeans. It is marvellous indeed what good brother's "I knew it, you've burnt your own, tobacco one sometimes finds in these Siamese sir! Don't deny it. I see guilt in your eye. in the districts. I enclose copies of extracts The foki to the previous witness said that on of free passage through it for their battleships, bures, considering what little care is taken | Gladstone in vam protested, alleging that he from my notes showing the houses in which | the 9th inst he went to Mesers. Mayer's godown | and the plant; and it is clear, as we have before | must have mishaid his own book. " Then I'll floor illiagul structures have been removed. I fear to obtain delivery of some rifles, he being in and effective protectorate of the two Americas, pointed out, that the soil of Slam must be fairly you for that," anapped Keate, "a boy who misted in a number of houses not visited by me structed to bring them to an auction room. He They will, we believe, from the first heatate to well suited for growing tobacco. The great lays his books is an idler," and further dispute in the two districts there exist illegal cocklests, hired defendant's sampan for the purpose. He give up the Philippines, partly because the latter Prime Minister not etc. I would therefore suggest that a house to put the cases on board but he did not go aboard lands provide admirable stations for their fleet. Coylon lies in its rankness; that is almost alto his "six-cuts." house visitation be made by P. C. McVicar, himself. He instructed defendant to bring the but chiefly because they are determined that gether absent from Siamese tobacco, and if the Gladatone fagged for his brother Thomas and

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Gladstene wrote underneath a challenge to the despoilers of the pigs to come forth and take a receipt for their offerings, which he would mark, "in poed round numbers on your faces." But his invitation met with no response, with the in the plant of the mother of the many lads of his own age were his intellectual equals and, though he was at school during what Mr. Bright termed "the dark ages" of Purliamentary History, it must be noted that he always had a sanguine belief in the careor which lay open to talent in England —the freest of all lands. But that he himself would live to make her still freer, richer, and Quinquis amat parcos, poreis et amabitus illis; would five to make her still freer, richer, and greater, was, of course, not a prospect within the vision of Young Gladstone. The name W. E. Gladstone "may be seen carved on the upper right hand panel of the door which stands | You

to the left of the Hoad Master's desk in the upper school. This carving was not done by himself, but by Dr. Kente's survant in regultal of the usual leaving fee. The name Gladstone | And Fee (no W. E.) is cut in large letters on the long | Through walk, near what used to be Shurey's. Whether or not this is by the late statesman is hard to say, but my own tutor assured me it was, and I call to mind his words as I stood looking at that name a few days before I left: " My boy. remember, that is the greatest hoy Eton ever had." It will naturally be a matter of much speculation as to where his body will be laid to rest, and I renture again to say, that all Etonians will agree with me when I suggest that the most fitting and proper place for him, is under the altar in the dear old chapel at Eton. and thus after many years of glorious work to return to his Atma Mater .- "A Young" OLD ETONIAN in Times of Ceylon.

MY ANTERVIEW WITH QUEEN $|URI \land TINA.|$

A passenger by the Head the following of the Mckong:

I found Madrid more animated than I had ever seen it. The crowds energy looking out for new and excited by the breath of war in the oir surged through the streets. For the most part they consisted of the common geople—the familiar Spanish type; the men with clear-shaved faces surmounted by huge sometheres; the women in shawls and mantillar, the bair ted with a knot of tibbon of the national colours which has become the fashion since the American aggression became acute. It was much the same when the hour for the fashionable promenade came. The long long avenues, broken up by lawns and shally leave of absence—some ag disgraced and he is travelling by Japan and America.

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A passenger by the Head the field of the formular for Lawrence was a single for the fashionable promenade came. The long leave and shally leave and shall leave and long avenues, broken up by lawns and shady | -and he is travelling by Japan and America. clumps of trees, which form the Champs At New York he will embark on a transatlantic Elysees of Madrid, were thronged with vehicles | liner for Havre, and after a short stay in Beland foot passengers. The fine trees brilliant gium and France will come out again by one of with bloom, the screne skies and warm, almost | the new boats of the Messageries Maritimes summer, browze, gave the town a delicious aspect | that have been vaunted to him as so comfortof brightness and gaiety. Gaily caparisoned able. No one could be more charming. Hemules drawing hired carriages, luxurious lan- will no longer hear speak of the English lines, dans blazing with heraldry, succeeded each and be is not even going to London! other at a sharp trot in endless succession. And their levely occupants—the enchanting | business to M. Rolin-Jacquemyns' son-in-lawsenerus reclining in their open curriages, war. | it does not go out of the family-and there will ing, as they passed, charming recognitions to be no change in the policy following in respect officers trutting beneath the trees! It is im- | to us (Frenchmen); unless His Majesty, who possible of to admire this apparently careless was greatly impressed by his recent stay at St. guiety when we reflect that so many of those | Petersburg, should have recourse to a Russian people are at the same moment offering their Adviser. Mr. Rolin-Jacquenyns geems very fortunes or their lives for their country. I wish it were possible for me to say all that | are rather glassy and his cyclidSare heavy. His I think and feet about the Queen-Regions, looks brighten up, however, when he speaks of Would the: I could convey to my readers some the King - a very remarkable man, and very clear impression of a sentiment which I can good "-and be forms a curious contrast with only describe an religious veneration. But I his lively spouse, who is very intelligent and am arrested on the threshold of the effort by very intriguing, and, wicked tongues say, has the impossibility of writing the words which also a voice in the matter of the Royal counsels. come to the point of my pen. They would, I fear, be neither as respectful nor as discreet as Put in good humour by the excellent table of I should wish them to be. Let me, then, pass | the Donar, and by the conversation of the pason to the audience which her Majesty, the sengers—these Frenchmen are so the Mme morning after my arrival, had graciously fixed. Rolin-Jacquemyns put it—the Belgian Prime ment full of ancient splendours, where the old nations of Europe beyond their frontiers. While I waited in these dim halls, I could not now they are only officials. And what but muse upon the Queen's past and happier | will the immense territories you have just consummers at San Sabastian, where I have been | quered avail you, if you have not the men and in the habit of going every year in July or the capital to develop them?" the manificent bay, with that levely Biscay sky, | come to our colonies." flacked oftentimes by summer storms; rose up] in memory. Simple, but ever truly regal, the | look at Bangkok : apart, from the personnel of Queen welcomed there many a visitor. Speak- the Logation, there are very few Frenchmen. ing French so admirably that no finesse of the engaged in commerce. The colonising element language escaped her, well-informed upon our is represented by MM. Jourdan, Challant, literature, our arts, and our enterprises, the Amiet, Françon and a feg others; that is not Queen-Regent discussed with me the most coough varied subjects. Sometimes even, with a plicity and sweetness. Sometimes the young | compatriots P." King would enter the room; for it was in the palace at San Sebastian that I first saw him, a | On the contrary the King would be delighted mere child, playing with his toys, and it is there to see Frenchmen take part in the economic that I have watched him, growing taller and development of his country. But of course more thoughtful from year to year. When I | these traders and business men must be seeking last saw the Queen-Rogent there last October to attempt some serious business, they must her Majesty had hardly got out of her carriage. | have the means of establishing themselves and "I have been," she told me, "to witness the | waiting for the fruit of their enterprise. departure of some of our soldiers for Cuba. Apart from those I have just mentioned, how Alas! many of them are so young!". And I many adventurers have come to Bangkok and read in her eyes the agony of uncertainty as to | proposed more or less fanciful schemes to His |

the fate of these boys of eighteen who were Majesty through me. Why, some years ago a starting off to uphold the honour of Spain on Frenchman proposed to show a round menagerie the other side of the world. A quarter of an hour, or twenty minutes I patriots come to Bangkok for the purpose of waited in the embrasure of a sombre window, entering upon serious business, they will find and when at length I turned round it was to everywhere a cordial welcome, and if they persee that the light had almost faded from the severe-for that is your fault, the want of gilded decorations of the historic apartment | perseverance they will succeed." where, I cannot doubt, majestic phantoms return'in the blackness of the night. At last, yonder, the door of the Queen's private apart- the anti-French sentiments that are attributed ments opened and I was summoned to the royal to him. He becomes agitated and nervous; he presence. I found myself in a room relatively is no longer the calm man of a moment ago; small and cosy, and full of flowers, where the he is the parliamentary hand such as he used light of the lumps delivered me from the op- to be in the tribune of the Belgian Parliament. pressive feeling which comes from too long a He continues with some little vehemonce: contemplation of twilight. There I found the . "Ah yes, I know; they accuse me of hating that I was a foreigner, restrained by the laws of neutrality from offering my sword and my maile. The conversation is changed, for the life to a cause which is so dear to me, I felt first Minister of Chulchongkorn suspects perconfused at having asked for an audience. haps that I am going to recall the affair of the While excusing myself for my presumption, I fair Clao, the young friend of the good King could only repeat what all my friends had told Leopold. seeing her thus attacked and abandoned. "Yes, I know," seplied the Queen. "I am profoundly touched by it. It makes me very happy to think it."

but admire her screnity, and her confidence in same even to an empty piece of ground. Evilthe herotem of her people.

From time to time a flush of indignation some of the mill compounds where the Siameso sould blaze in her eyes. We have been so police have no right to arrest them.

Directly afterwards the door opened and the

ters, almost grown-up your white dresses. The King struck "Tell your friends," said the Queen the who were foremost in this kind of butchery were the first to quake at the consequences of detection, and he dured them if they were proud of their work to sport the trophies in their hats.

of their work to sport the trophies in their hats.
On the following Ash Wednesday he found three newly amputated pigs' tails tied in a banch on his door with a paper bearing the following inscription:

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Likthe meantime the King has entrusted the fatigued. Is it the effect of the His eyes

It was growing dusk when I reached the palure, Minister of Siam has been good enough to and already the strange and pensive melancholy | confide in us some of his ideas on Siamese of twilight was broading over the splendid and policy. While he was cutting the leaves of historic staircase, silent and idescrited save for Zola's latest book he spoke to me of the Steam Donkey Pumps, Hydraulic Presses. the unceasing paring of the halberdiers of the colonial expansion of France: "It is very Sugar Mills, Marine Boilers and Engines, Guard. I arrived a little before my time, and curious to note the place that your country | Stationary Boilers and Driving Engines, Steel awaited the hour of audience in a huge apart- takes in the movement which is dragging the Boiler Plates, Pig Iron, etc., etc. fading light died away upon the lofty painted The French of this end of the century—will the building or repairing of all kinds of ceiling. It is six years since I was first pre- they ever come back to the healthy ideas machinery with quick despatch and good worksented to her Majosty, but I had never before which prevailed at one period of your his manship. Enquiries solicited for any of the visited her in this ancient palace. And to think tory, when France was a monarchy and one of above or the complete plant of any kind of of the solemn and pointul circumstances in the most powerful of the colonising nations? | machinery. which I now entered it for the first time! But at that time your pioneers were traders,

September. The simple white rooms full of | "That is a question of time, M. le Ministre, flowers, illumined by large windows sweeping | and I have no doubt that French capital will "I wish it may be so for your sake. Thus,

" Plainly it is very small; but is that not due

charming smile, she corrected my answers to | to the embarrassments and the difficulties which her questions, leaving me delighted and as. Frenchmen meet with when they seek to estabtonished at the variety and accuracy of her in- lish themselves in Bangkok? In a word does formation. Then, from the Sovereign, the not the Siamese administration favour the Eng-Queen would become wife and mother, and lish, the Germans and the Belgians while it is would talk about her son with exquisite sim- opposed to every enterprise attempted by our That is an error! and I protest strongly.

in the interior of the Palace! Let your com-

THE ANTI-PRENCH LEGEND M. Rolin-Jacquemyns seemed very pained at

Queen, no longer simply dressed as at San France and everything French. But, sir, your Sebastian, but in the stately gown with silver country is almost mine. I was brought up paillettes. At once I was struck by her air of there; it was there I studied; I have many infinite sadness. It is a more platitude to say friends there and relatives even. Why should that the smile lights up the face; but the ex. I hate it? Why, your literature is ours. Is pression is particularly appropriate in relation there an art of a literature of Belgium? Do to Queen Cristina. Her smile has a rare charm, not our philosophers and statesmen speak full of sweetness. It was with this smile that ber Majesty received me and thanked me for and our universities French ideas. Our King coming. And then for a moment, as I reflected himself is almost a Parisian." Mr. Rolin-Jacquemvns stops, he has seen me | a34]

me upon my departure from France—their ... It is said that the work of the police is very entire sympathy with Spain, their disgust at badly done in Bangkok, that acts of violence are committed in broad day and that the Euro poans have to protect themselves !" "As to that, sir, the fault lies in the treaties. The Siamese police have no right to search a Despite the sadness of her face I could not European's promises, and this applies all the

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10.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and Westher matterns ceases. natterns cesses. 11.00 A.M. Mail Closes LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.1) A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M. after which hour they may be sent on board with the same late fee. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN

PACKET.

The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of India inst., with Mails for Shaughai, Nagasaki, Kobe Yokohama, Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., which will be closed as follows:-10.00 A.M. Registry coases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

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A. S. MIHARA, Manager. Holgkong, 17th June, 1898. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND STEAM FOR FOOCHOW. HE Company's Steamship

".HAITAN," Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above ports TO-DAY, the 17th inst., at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Mainters.

Hongkong, 15th June, 1898. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship

"LIGHTNING," Captain J. G. Spence, will be despatched for | and Cargo for the above Ports. the above ports TO-MORROW, the 18th inst. at Noon. For Freight or Passage apply to DAVID BASSOON, SONS & CO.

Hongkong, 14th June, 1898. FOR NEW YORK. THE 100 A.I. British Barque "MARIAN WOODSIDE."

Russell, Moster is leading for the above port of Lading. and will have chick despatch. For Freight, apply to BIEMSSEN & CO. 3rd June 1898.

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Captain E. Street, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for STRAITS and BOMBAY on SATURDAY, the 25th June, at Noon, taking Passengers Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer pro-

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THE Undersigned GENERAL AGENTS in CHINA and JAPAN for the above Line are prepared to issue THROUGH BILLS. United States should be sent to the Company's OF LADING for ell the principal ports in SOUTH AFRICA, in connection with INDO- FINE 3/3 A. I. I. British Ship CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION Co.'s fortnightly service hence to CALCUTTA. Sailings from CALCUTTA for CAPE PORTS every fortnight. For freight and further particulars,

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., General Agents for China and Japan,

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"TAIYUAN," Captain Nelson, will be despatched on WED, NESDAY, the 22nd inst., at 3 P.M. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Salnon is situated

forward of the Engines: A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Pro-A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and the Versel is fitted throughout with Electric Light. N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from Australia are available for return by the steamers of the Eastern and

Australian S. S. Co. and vice versa. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE; Hongkong, 10th June, 1898.

HE Steamship

"ST. NINIAN" will be despatched as above on or about 1st To be followed by :---8.8. "CRAIGEARN" on or about the 20th July, 1898.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 18th June, 1898. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A.I. British Ship HAWTHORNBANK." Greig. Muster, will load for the above port an will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. Hongkong, 14th June 1898.

FOR NEW YORK.

"EMILY F. WHITNEY." Pendleton, Master, shortly expected from Shanghai, will lead here for the above port and. will have quick despatch.

For Preight, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO. Honesone, May May, 1998

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"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBRO', LONDON, AND SINGAPORE above on or about 22nd THE Steamship

> Captain H. N. Vyvyan, having arrived from the above ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, and stored at Consigness risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 21st inst will be subject All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

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No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

Hongkong, 15th June, 1898.

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Optional goods, will be landed here unless

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All ship damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage

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FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND

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Hongkong, 14th June, 1898.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Adria, German steamer, 3,470, Renter, June 1. Carlowitz & Co Amars, British steamer, 1,656, Rolfe, June 8, Jardine, Matheson & Co Aztec, Hawaiian str., 3538, Trask, May 2 P. M. S. S. Co Butuan, Spanish str., 329, Madriago, Feb. 1 Canton, British steamer, 1,110, Wilde, June 15, Jardine, Matheson & Co Charterhouse, British str., 1,200, Smith, June 11, Butterfield & Swire Cheangehew, British str., 1,213, Webb, May 28,

Chinese Claverhill, British str., 1,828, Wigley, June 4, Butterfield & Swire Dean, British str., 958, Hamilton, June 13, Jardine. Matheson & Co Else, German steamer, 903, Petersen, May 1 Esmeralda, British str., 966, Tayler, June II, Shewan, Tomes & Co

Fatshan, British str., 1,452, J. Dick, H. C., & M. Steamboat Co., for Canton Frejr, Danish steamer, 395, Funder, June 15, A. R. Marty Haitan, British str., 1,183, Hail. June 15, Douglas Lapraik & Co Hankow, British str., 2,235, C. V. Lloyd, Butterfield & Swire, for Centon Hansa, German steamer, 1,202, Marty, June 6 Carlowitz & Co

Hermes, Norwegian str., 849, Jensen, June Jardine. Matheson & Co pany, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Heungshan, British steamer, 1,051, J. Smith, Wharves delivery may be obtained.

H. C., & M. Steamboat Co., for Macao Hoi-on, British str., 76, H. Kearley, Butterfield & Swire, for West River Hoi-tong, Chinese steamer, 409, Austen, Chi - Wo&L Co have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining Holstein. German steamer, 985. Ipland, April 6, Jebsen & Co

Honom, British str., 1,344, S. W. Goggin, H., C., & M. Steamboat Co., for Canton All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the Hupeh, British steamer, 1,894, Quail, June 14. Butterfield & Swire Ingraban, German str., 894, Sander, June 9, Sander, Wieler & Co

Trene, German steamer, 2,147, Schudor, June 14, Siemssen & Co Isidoro Pons, Spanish str., 525, Roses, April 14, Keelung Maru, Jap. str., 1,037, Tarao, June 15,

M. B. Kaisha Kong Beng, British str., 862, Joslin, June 13, Kongpak, British str., 147, G. C. Jones, Kwong Lee Steamship Company, for West River Kriemhild, German str., 1,633, Jager, June 15, Siemssen & Co

Kwanglee, Chinese str., 1,505, Lincoln, June 16, C. M. S. N. Co Lightning, British str., 2,124, Spence, June 12, D. Sussoon, Sons & Co Lombard, British str., 1.658, Raison, June 3, Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Loongmoon, Ger. str., 1,245, Schulz, June 16, Siemssen & Co

Machew, British str., 995, Farrell, June 16, Yuon Fat Hong Marquis Bacquebem, Aust, str., 2,744, Wallusch-nig, June 15, Sander, Wieler & Co Menmuir, British str., 2,000, McArthur, June 10, Gibb. Livingston & Co Mongkut, British steamer, 859, Calder, June 13, Chinese Pasig, Uhinese steamer, 284, C. Koch, Chinese,

for Canton Peshawur, British str., 2,204, Vibert, June 16, P. & O. S. N. Co Phra Chom Klao, British etc., 1,012, Fowler, June 12, Yuen Fat Hong Powan, British str., 1,842, A. N. Patrick, H. C. & M. Steamboat Co., for Canton Prosper, worw. str., 789, Torstensen, June 12, - Qeo. R. Stevens Hongkong and Kowleen Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowleon, where each

Radnorshire, Brit. str., 1,889, Vyvyan, June 15, Shewan, Tomes & Co Saikong, British str., 259, Shierhorst, Chinese, for Canton Shantung, Brit. str., 1,535, Frampton, June 15, Butterfield & Swire

Shini Maru, Jap. str., 1,327, Norraska, June 14, Sullberg, German str., 782, Jessen, June 16, Siemssen & Co Tal On, British str., 769, Galleouski, Chinese, for Canton Terrier, Norw, str., 1,008, Wilhelmsen, June 4,

Geo. R. Stevens in to this office within ten days after the vessel's Tungkong, British str., 59, Lo Shing, Kwong Wan S. S. Co., for West River Wingsang, British str., 1,517, Sellars, June 16, Jardine, Matheson & Co Wongkoi, British str., 1,098, Stonham, June 12,

Butterfield & Swire Wnotan, German str., 1,016, Jacobsen, June 14, Lauts, Wegener & Co SAILING VESSELS.

Atlantic, German bark, 633, Schneider, June 11, Sander, Wieler & Co above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby E. C. Mowatt, Amr. bark, 1.026, Mowatt, May requested to send in their Bills of Lading for 15. Arnhold, Karberg & Co Hawthorn Bank, British bank, 1,288, Greig, countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from May 20, Standard Oil Co John Bairley, Amr. sch., 445, Wohll, Mar. 20, Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon Mariana Woodside, British bark, 1,478, Russe lauded into the Godowns of the Hongkong and June 8 Order Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ragnfild, Danish bark, 382, Bonnelycks, June Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and 10. Arnhold, Karberg & Co No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

Mary L. Cushing, Amr. ship, 1,575, Pendleton Rose, British berque, 789, Garrick, May 20 Samar, American bark, 1,032, Forbes, May 20,

Staterof Maine, Amr. ship, 1,487, Curtis, May 12 Standard Oil Co Yola, British ship, 1,407, Pennicuik, June 14, Government

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